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AGREED PARAS 48, 60, AND 62 OF REVIEW AND APPRAISAL WORKING PAPER ARE QUOTED BELOW. OUTSTANDING PARAS ARE NOW 45 AND 52-54. WE ANTICIPATE REACHING AGREEMENT 52-54 TODAY. GROUP 77 NOW CONSIDERING US POSITION PARA 45 IN LIGHT REF B.

48. IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT THE MULTILATERAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS ENSURE SIGNIFICANT AND SUSTAINED GAINS FOR THE EXPORT TRADE OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. ALL DEVELOPING COUNTRIES SHOULD PARTICIPATE FULLY AND EQUALLY IN THE NEGOTIATIONS. THE NEGOTIATIONS SHOULD AIM AT SECURING ADDITIONAL BENEFITS FOR THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES SO AS TO ACHIEVE A SUBSTANTIAL INCREASE IN THEIR FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS, DIVERSIFICATION OF THEIR EXPORTS AND AN ACCELERATION OF THE RATE OF GROWTH OF THEIR TRADE, TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THEIR DEVELOPMENT NEEDS, AND THEREBY CONTRIBUTE TO THE ACHIEVEMENT OF THE OBJECTIVES OF THE INTERNATIONAL
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DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY. AMONG THE BASIC OBJECTIVES GUIDING

THESE NEGOTIATIONS WILL BE THE CONCEPTS, AS AGREED UPON AT THE MINISTERIAL MEETING IN TOKYO, OF NON-RECIPROCITY; SPECIAL AND MORE FAVOURABLE TREATMENT THROUGH DIFFERENTIAL MEASURES IN FAVOUR OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, THROUGHOUT THE NEGOTIATIONS, WHERE THIS IS FEASIBLE AND APPROPRIATE. DURING THE PERIOD OF NEGOTIATIONS THERE SHOULD BE NO FREEZE ON ACTION IN FAVOUR OF THE TRADE AND OTHER TARGETS DENOMINATED IN THE INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY.

C. MEASURES BY THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY

60. TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE LINK THAT SHOULD EXIST BETWEEN THE PROCESS OF DETENTE AND THE CREATION OF BETTER CONDITIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION IN ALL FIELDS, ALL COUNTRIES SHOULD ACTIVELY PROMOTE THE ACHIEVEMENT OF GENERAL AND COMPLETE DISARMAMENT THROUGH EFFECTIVE MEASURES. THE RESOURCES THAT MAY BE RELEASED AS A RESULT OF EFFECTIVE MEASURES OF ACTUAL DISARMAMENT SHOULD BE USED FOR THE PROMOTION OF ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT OF ALL NATIONS. THE RELEASE OF RESOURCES RESULTING FROM THOSE MEASURES SHOULD INCREASE THE CAPACITY OF THE DEVELOPED COUNTRIES TO PROVIDE SUPPORT TO THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES IN THEIR EFFORTS TOWARDS ACCELERATING THEIR ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PROGRESS.

62. WHILE THE PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR IMPLEMENTING THE AIMS AND POLICY MEASURES OF THE STRATEGY RESTS UPON THE POLITICAL DETERMINATION OF INDIVIDUAL GOVERNMENTS IN A SPIRIT OF PARTNERSHIP AND COMMON INTERESTS, THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS IN WHICH THESE GOVERNMENTS ARE REPRESENTED CAN AND SHOULD MAKE AN IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTION OF THEIR OWN. THUS, ALL GOVERNMENTS ARE URGED TO ADAPT THEIR DEVELOPMENT POLICIES, NOT ONLY INDIVIDUALLY, BUT ALSO JOINTLY THROUGH THESE ORGANIZATIONS, TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE STRATEGY IN A CONSISTENT AND FORWARD-LOOKING MANNER. THE ORGANIZATIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM, AS THE COLLECTIVE INSTRUMENTS OF THE WORLD COMMUNITY, ARE URGED IN THE LIGHT OF THE FIRST EXERCISE ON REVIEW AND APPRAISAL, TO INTENSIFY AND FURTHER HARMONIZE THEIR ACTIVITIES RELATING TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE STRATEGY IN THEIR AREAS OF COMPETENCE SO AS TO ENSURE THAT THE EFFORTS OF THE SYSTEM WILL

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PRODUCE MAXIMUM RESULTS. IN THIS CONTEXT, THEY SHOULD INVIGORATE THE SEARCH FOR INNOVATIVE AND INTERDISCIPLINARY APPROACHES, AIMING AT THE REMOVAL OF THE CAUSES OF UNDER-DEVELOPMENT, AT THE STRENGTHENING OF THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL STRUCTURES AND THE CADRES OF TRAINED PERSONNEL OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES FOR THEIR OWN DEVELOPMENT, AND AT ASSISTING DEVELOPING COUNTRIES IN THEIR EFFORTS TOWARDS THE MOBILIZATION AND UTILIZATION OF THEIR NATIONAL RESOURCES. CONCERNED INTERNATIONAL OR-

GANIZATIONS OUTSIDE THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM ARE ALSO
INVITED TO GEAR THEIR ACTIVITIES TO ASSISTING IN THE IMPE-
MENTATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY.
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